



Earthquake Safety Program

Notification

Earthquake Upgrade Construction to Begin Along the Hayward Elevated Structures—*Update*

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Dear Community Member:

As part of our systemwide Earthquake Safety Program, BART is strengthening elevated structures spanning from I-238 (South of Bay Fair Station) to Fremont.

Starting in mid August, the contractor will place office trailers and other materials in the Hayward Station BART parking lot along Montgomery Ave, B St. and A St. Construction will also begin on the BART columns within the parking lot.

The area will be occupied for approximately five years. Due to the location of the construction site, access to the site through residential streets will be necessary. Construction traffic will include regular personnel vehicles and occasionally other large vehicles. The work includes adding steel and concrete to foundations, and protecting utilities and equipment. You can expect temporary sidewalk closures as well as temporary reduction of available street parking. Work can occur between the hours of 7 am and 7 pm, Monday through Saturday, with emergency work as necessary. Please watch for signs with safety information and other notices. We appreciate your patience during this work, and will attempt to minimize construction-related noise, dust and inconvenience.

To contact the Earthquake Safety Program or obtain additional information, please visit our website at **www.bart.gov/earthquakesafety** or call our Program Information Line at **(510) 476-3876**. Thank you again for your patience and cooperation.

Si necesita información en español, por favor llame al (510) 476-3876.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The BART Earthquake Safety Program will upgrade the original BART system to ensure safety and the ability to return to operation shortly after a major earthquake.

Priorities for strengthening work include BART's Transbay Tube, elevated structures and many stations.

Thank you for supporting BART's efforts to protect this Bay Area asset.



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